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GOLF SWING PATH AND ALIGNMENT TRAINING DEVICE

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE** 

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Dear Sir/Madam:

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This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed January 8, 2002. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

At page 1, line 3, please add the following paragraph:

--This application claims domestic priority from earlier filed provisional application Serial No. 60/156,904, filed September 30, 1999.--

## IN THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the Abstract with a new Abstract as shown in the attached sheet.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 3-5 and add newly presented claims 23-25.

Please amend claims 1, 6, 9, 21, and 22 as follows:

1.(Amended) A golf swing aid for guiding a user through a golf swing when the user addresses a golf ball positioned at a center of the aid such that in relation to a stance of the user upon addressing the golf ball, the aid defines a forward extension and a rearward extension relative to the center, the golf swing aid comprising:

an arm path member having a substantially linear, elongate shape and having a leading end, a central portion, and a trailing end; and

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